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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 14506-48682 U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 107525549
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2003/026798	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 27 August 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 27 August 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION BIOREACTORS WITH MULTIPLE CHAMBERS		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US John Wikswo, Franz J. Baudenbacher, David Cliffel, Frederick R. Haselton, Eugene LeBoeuf, Alex Prokop, Randall S. Reiserer, and Mark Stremmer		
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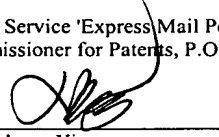
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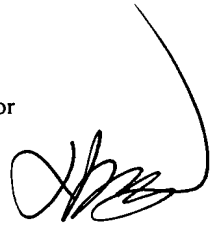
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- ☒ Copy of International Publication No. WO 2004/020590 A2 & A3(51 pages)
- ☒ Copy of International Search Report PCT/ISA/210 (3 pages)
- ☒ Copy of Notification of the Recording of a Change PCT/IB/306 (2 page)
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- ☒ Copy of General Power of Attorney (1 page)
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- ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first sentence:
--This application claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/406,278, filed 27 August 2002, which is incorporated by reference herein in its entirety.—
- ☒ Small Entity Status is claimed pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27
- ☒ USPTO is Authorized to charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) or credit any overpayments under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.
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